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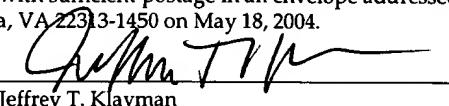
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Sunstein et al.
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Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR AUTHENTICATED
MULTI-USER PERSONAL INFORMATION DATABASE

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AMENDMENT AND INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this response to the Final Office Action dated February 18, 2004 as a submission in support of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, and requests that this response be entered into the record. In response to the Office action dated February 18, 2004 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.